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We, the undersigned, support Corridor 3 Willow Route of the Alaska Railroad - Port MacKenzie Rail Extension Project, Financial Docket No. 35095,

We support this route as it is consistent with the Mat-Su Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (June 2006 Update), the Mat-Su Borough Long-Range Transportation Plan and the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Rail Corridor Study, June 2003. These plans are in the best financial interest of the citizens of the Mat-Su Borough and the State of Alaska.

The connector that is the least disruptive to humans, animals and the environment is Corridor 3 - Willow Route.

Either of the Houston Routes would severely disrupt Big Lake area residents. Please route this thing through government land to the west, from Willow, as far as possible from developed areas?!

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